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FOREST, ENVIRONMENT & CLIMATE CHANGE DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

The 14th March 2024

S.R.O. No. 236/2024—Whereas, Forest Block Jharbera (Katang) Reserve Forest under Section 20-A of the Indian Forest Act,1927, has been notified by Government of Odisha, Co-operation and Forestry Department Notification No. 1166—12F(M/2)-152/62-CF, dated the 24th January 1963 indicating an area of 600 Ac./242.811 ha in Bargaon Forest Range of Sundargarh Forest Division as per Annexure-I;

And whereas, the Government of Odisha in the Forest & Environment Department have notified a "Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) for geo-referencing of Forest Block boundary through DGPS Survey" in the *Odisha Gazette* vide Notification No.22572400112016-10F(Cons.)-77/2016/14097-F&E, dated the 4th July 2017, for preparation of such geo-referenced forest maps in pursuance of the directives of Hon'ble Supreme Court in their order dated the 6th July 2011 (in IA Nos. 1868, 2091, 2225-2227, 2380, 2568 and 2937 in Writ Petition (C) No. 202 of 1995-Lafarge matter);

And whereas, the Government of Odisha have appointed all Tehsildars in their respective Tehsil jurisdiction in the respective districts as Forest Settlement Officer (FSO) vide Notification No. 7767-10F(TR)-38/2020-F&E, dated the 21st May 2020;

And whereas, the Forest Revenue Joint Verification Committee has jointly verified and confirmed the boundary pillar positions as per report in Annexure-II;

And whereas, the Forest Settlement Officer has certified 'No Change' in the boundary extent of Jharbera (Katang) RF post 25th October 1980. The DGPS survey boundary co-ordinates have been verified by ORSAC and certified by the Forest Settlement Officer. The computed area (UTM Zone 45N projection and WGS 84 datum) of the Jharbera (Katang) RF is 102.05 ha or 132.749 ha or 328.03 Ac. the change in area is due to method of Survey & Area Computation.

Therefore, it has been decided to supplement the existing notification of the Jharbera (Katang) RF with the above-mentioned FSO certified DGPS surveyed Forest Block map as per Annexure-III,

and the statement of geo-co-ordinates of the Forest Block boundary pillar positions as per Annexure-IV, which shall be treated as the precise boundary description of the Jharbera (Katang) RF and shall form an integral part of the original notification in place of any other form of boundary description notified earlier.

There shall be no change to the admitted rights in the original notification.

[No. 5072—FE-DIV-MISC-0011-2016-10F(Cons.)-34/2020-FE&CC]

By order of the Governor

SATYABRATA SAHU

Additional Chief Secretary to Government

Annexure-I

The 24th January 1963

No. 1106—12F (M 2)-152/62 CF.—In pursuance of sub-section (3) of section 20-A of the Indian Forest Act, 1927 (XVI of 1927), as amended in its application to the State of Orissa the State Government do hereby certify that the register of reserved forest mentioned in the Schedule below had been prepared under the authority of the Ruler of Gangpur State before the date of merger and has been under the authority of the State Government continued to be recognised, maintained and acted upon thereafter.

SCHEDULE

Register of Reserved Forests of Gangpur State declaring the following forest blocks as reserved forests :—

Name of Reserved Forest as per Dr. Mooney's Plan	Page No. as per register of reserved forests	Area in acres as per register of reserved forests	Documents on the basis of which treated as reserved forests
1	2	3	4
Eastern Range			
Chhatamb ..	1	18,600	Old Working Plan and register Reserved Forests.
Huldipani ..	2	23,700	Ditto
Laing ..	3	1,390	Ditto
Mandriapahar ..	16	65	Ditto
Bungalapahar ..	7	857	Ditto
Lamtipahar ..	8	768	Ditto
Brahmani ..	9	2,050	Ditto
Panchora ..	10	4,540	Ditto
Panchora South ..	..	..	(Part of Panchora block as per old Working Plan).
Bhutsella ..	..	..	(According to old Working Plan it forms part of Panchora block).
Udarma ..	11	675	(Old Working Plan and register of Reserved Forests).
Mahabir ..	12	1,565	Ditto
Jharbeda ..	17	100	Ditto
Jaldega ..	18	205	Ditto
B Class			
Chiroberna ..			
Khindapahar ..	13	200	
Chudiapahar ..	14	650	Ditto
Lalmumpahar ..	15	307	Ditto
Daini ..	4	1,310	Ditto
Jharbera (Katang) ..	5	600	Ditto
Dalijira ..	6	470	Ditto
Jhanmur ..	20	870	Ditto
Dalipahar ..	19	2,050	Register of Reserved Forests
Pathria ..	21	100	Ditto
Dataampan	22	205	Ditto
Gudihi ..	23	2,280	Ditto
Latalaga ..	24	205	Old Working Plan

1	2	3	4
Rajabasa ..	25	110	Old Working Plan
Mukundpur ..	26	345	Ditto
Pamrabungri ..	27	250	Ditto
Kural ..	28	8,240	Ditto
Central Range			
A Class			
Kusabaga ..	29	20,023	Ditto
Rugu ..	30	12,115	Ditto
Gurabasa ..	33	140	Ditto
Bilikhaman ..	34	75	Ditto
Gopikudar ..	35	35	Ditto
Deol ..	36	180	Ditto
Jantolla ..	37	600	Ditto
Takiipara ..	38	1,550	Ditto
Jigua ..	39	625	Ditto
B Class			
Mahulgaon ..	40	1,550	Ditto
A Class			
Kural ..	41	480	Ditto
B Class			
Bundaga ..	42	192	Ditto
Peraabhadi ..	43	3,400	Ditto
Jojiogan ..	44	850	Ditto
Tujara ..	45	190	Ditto
Satparlia ..	32	1,700	Ditto
Satparlia ..	46	5,130	Ditto
Barahmalpatar ..	47	300	Ditto
Ghumra ..	48	139	Ditto
Jaimal ..	49	100	Ditto
Ghatlakari ..	50	201	Ditto
Rashin ..	51	590	Ditto
Kharikamunda ..	52	200	Ditto
Jharmunda ..	53	215	Ditto
Chhogar ..	31	1,491	Ditto
Kusabahal ..	..	..	(As per old Working Plan name of compartment is Satparlia block).
Western Range			
A Class			
Athkonia ..	54	38,332	Old Working Plan
Dhangarg ..	55	20,439	Ditto
Sikajore ..	56	3,900	Ditto

1	2	3	4
Bapnabira	57	300	(Sirpanahga as per old Working Plan
Chiruchamu	58	100	Old Working Plan
Bhrahpatra	67	210	
B Class			
Kuladungi	68	300	(Kuladungri as per old Working Plan)
A Class			
Bankidihi	59	60	
Rajpur	60	1,060	
Kusumpur	61	2,250	
Athakoda B	62	6,701	
Sihajore B	63	1,792	
Tildega	64	1,024	
Bindhapahar	65	256	
B Class		85	
Kumarkel	66	1,585	

The 22nd January 1963

No. 1005—CP.—In pursuance of sub-section (3) of section 20-A of the Indian Forest Act, 1927 (XVI of 1927), as amended in its application to the State of Orissa the State Government do hereby certify that the document mentioned in the Schedule below has been executed under the authority of the Ruler of Bamra State before the date of merger and has been under the authority of the State Government continued to be recognised, maintained and acted upon thereafter.

SCHEDULE

Order communicated in Memo. No. 3415—VIII-2/46, dated the 6th September 1946 issued by the Dewan, Bamra State including an additional area of 36.10 acres to Tendasingal Block of reserved forest.

By order of the Governor,

F. C. PADHI-RAJU

Deputy Secretary to Government.

MINING AND GEOLOGY DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATIONS

The 18th January 1963

No. 886—I-Ad.-67/62-MG.—This is to certify that Dr. Kunwar Sen, C/o. Late D. K. Pandya, AIP.O. Chaibasa, district Singhbhum, Bihar, is approved as a person who is qualified to acquire prospecting licence and mining lease in respect of all minerals except petroleum and natural gas in the State of Orissa under the Mineral Concession Rules, 1960.

The certificate shall be valid up to the 31st December 1963.

The 15th January 1963

No. 482—II-Ad.-216/62-MG.—This is to certify that Shri Rama Chandra Patnaik, Village/Post-Aiyal, district Puri, is approved as a person who is qualified to acquire prospecting licence and mining lease in respect of all minerals except petroleum and natural gas in the State of Orissa under the Mineral Concession Rules, 1960.

The certificate already granted and which expired on the 31st December 1962, is renewed up to the 31st December 1963.

The 19th January 1963

No. 6614—II-Ad.-31/62-MG.—This is to certify that Kalinga Mining Corporation, Buxibazar, Cuttack, district Cuttack, is approved as a person who is qualified to acquire prospecting licence and mining lease in respect of all minerals except petroleum and natural gas in the State of Orissa under the Mineral Concession Rules, 1960.

The certificate already granted and which expired on the 31st December 1962, is renewed up to the 31st December 1963.

The 19th January 1963

No. 617—II-(C)-M-3/63-MG.—An area of 3800 [illegible] 73641 hectares as explained in the schedule below, was applied to Messrs. Mandaram, Hongunmull & Bros., Mining Lessees and Quarry and Refiners in the districts of Dhenkanal and Puri as mentioned in Form-I of the Mineral Concession Rules, 1960. It is now at the disposal of the State Government for grant. According to it is notified that on and from the 31st March 1963 in accordance with rule 5 of the Mineral Concession Rules, 1960, the said area will be available for grant. All applications received prior to that date have been rejected as considered premature and rejected.

SCHEDULE

Boundary description

Starting point A lies on the right Bank of Baramuli about 1100 metres east of the crossing point of the said nalla with the Barapal-Kanch road.

North—From the point A the line runs Westwards along the Government boundary pillars about 300 metres and meets the point B on the said line.

West—From the point B the line runs due South about 3150 metres and meets the point C.

South—From the point C the line runs due East about 1200 metres and meets the point D.

East—Forming an inland [illegible] of the above lines about 2500 metres and meets the point E. Then it runs [illegible] and meets the starting point A.

Annexure-II

FOREST REVENUE JOINT VERIFICATION COMMITTEE REPORT

Forest Division: Sundargarh **Forest Range:** Bargaon

Minutes of Joint Verification:

List of participation of the Forest-Revenue joint verification committee is given at Table 1.

Joint Verification of the boundary of **(Jharbera)Katang RF** Forest Block was carried out during 19-01-2020 to 19-01-2020. Existing pillar position recorded through GPS were plotted and compared against geo-referenced cadastral maps of adjoining villages. The verified forest boundary map is enclosed at Plate-1. Findings of the verification w.r.t. revenue cadastral is given below:

- Name of notified forest block: (Jharbera)Katang RF
- Notification no. & date: 1166-12F-(M/2)-152/62/CF Dt. 24-01-1963
- Area as per notification: 600 Ac./242.811 Ha.
- Existing no. of boundary demarcations in conformity with adjoining village boundary: 36 nos. (Annexure -1)
- New boundary demarcations in conformity with adjoining village boundary: 15 nos. (Annexure -2)
- GPS area of verified boundary: 135.811 ha
- GPS perimeter of verified boundary: 6.170 km

Observations:

Notification is available (Boundary description & Chainage bearing is not available) and Traverse map is enclosed at Appendix-1 & Appendix-2. The verified boundary shape & area matches with the Traverse map and verified area is found to be -26.269 ha, i.e. -16.21 % less than NFA. Forest boundary demarcation Pillars in Conformity with Cadastral Map, existing pillars & HRSI. The change in area may be due to old survey techniques and boundary in some parts might have undergone change because of village settlements. Since all peripheral settlements have occurred prior to 1980, there is no implication under FC Act.

TABLE - 1

Forest and Revenue department officials(RO/FR/FG/RI/Amin) and TP involved in Joint verification of Forest Boundary

Name	Designation	Signature
D Akash Kumar Naik.	Y.R.I. Lanjiberna.	30.10.2025 Y. R. I. Lanjiberna Revenue Inspector LANJIBERNA KATANG
Smt Sandhya Naik	F.R. Tudalaga Section	3/12/2025 FORESTER TUDALAGA SECTION
Dalip Kumar Dhal	Forest Range offices	Forest Range Officer Bargaon Range
Chinmay Acharya	CDLTP	C. Acharya

Counter Signed by :

Divisional Forest Officer
Sundargarh Forest Division
Divisional Forest Officer

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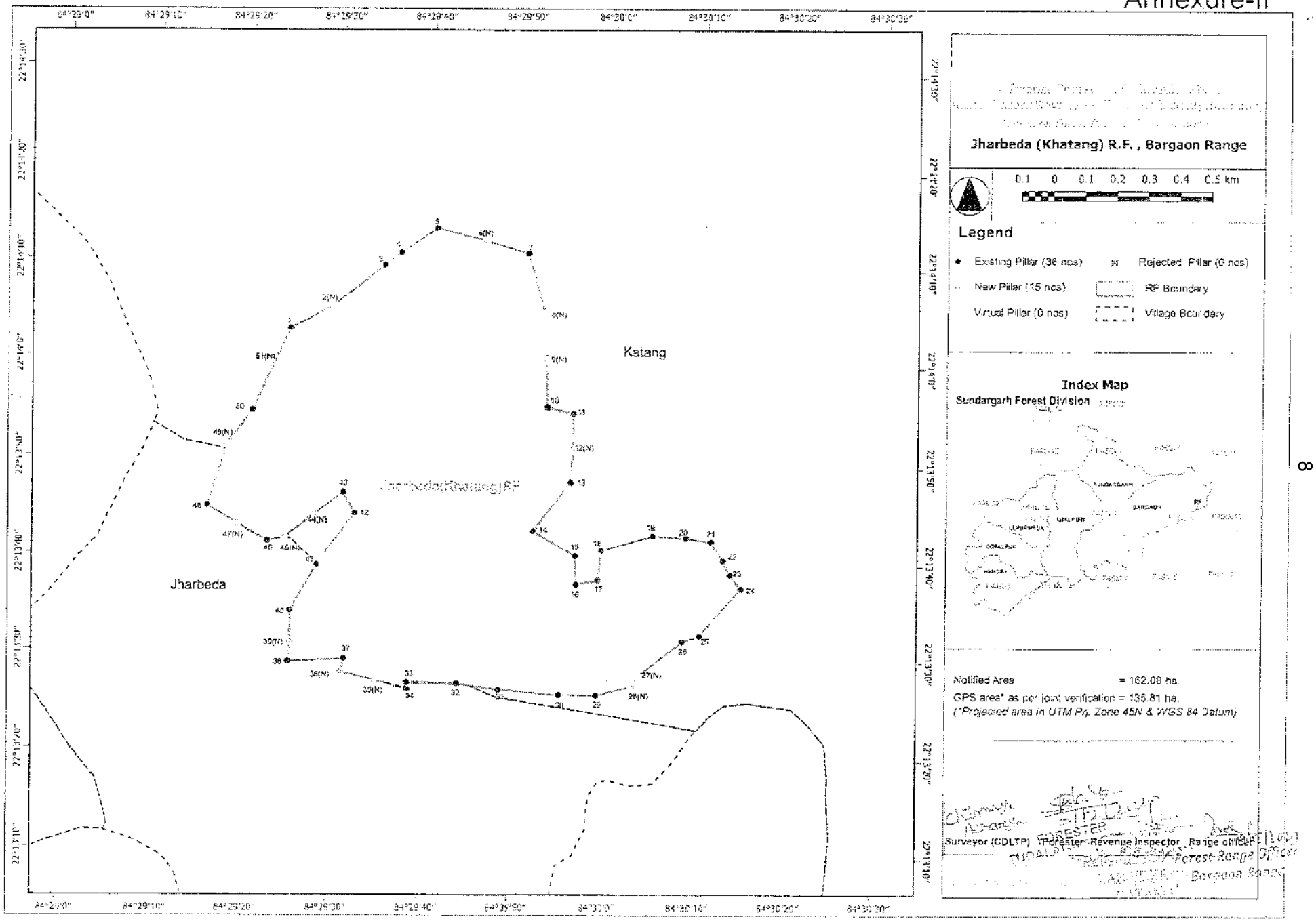
KUTRA
Tahsildar

Annexure-II


Jharbeda (Khatang) R.F. , Bargaon Range
0.1 0 0.1 0.2 0.3 0.4 0.5 km
Legend
Existing Pillar (36 nos)
Rejected Pillar (0 nos)
New Pillar (15 nos)
RF Boundary
Virtual Pillar (0 nos)
Village Boundary
Index Map
Sundargarh Forest Division
Notified Area = 162.08 ha.
GPS area* as per joint verification = 135.81 ha.
(*Projected area in UTM Prj. Zone 45N & WGS 84 Datum)
Surveyor (CDLTP)
Forester/Revenue Inspector
Range officer
Khatang
Jharbeda

Annexure-IV

Annexure-IV

STATEMENT OF GEO-COORDINATES OF PILLAR POSITIONS

Forest Division: **Sundargarh** Forest Range : **Bargaon** Forest Block Name: **(Jharbera)Katang RF**

Ground Control Point (GCP) References. (All coordinates in WGS84 datum & UTM Zone 45N projection)

GCP Type	GCP Location	Latitude(DMS)	Longitude(DMS)	Latitude(DD)	Longitude(DD)
FPCP	Bargaon Range Office	22°10'18.783804"	84°17'58.049844"	22.17188439	84.29945829
FSCP1	(Jharbera)Katang RF , Pillar No- 1	22°14'2.876928"	84°29'24.777132"	22.23413248	84.49021587

Geo-coordinates of Boundary Pillar Position (Total: 62 nos.)

Pillar No	Latitude(DMS)	Longitude(DMS)	Latitude(DD)	Longitude(DD)
1	22°14'2.876928"	84°29'24.777132"	22.23413248	84.49021587
2	22°14'3.875244"	84°29'28.602744"	22.23440979	84.49127854
3	22°14'4.658604"	84°29'28.743468"	22.23462739	84.49131763
4	22°14'5.183448"	84°29'29.655816"	22.23477318	84.49157106
5	22°14'9.795300"	84°29'34.834344"	22.23605425	84.49300954
6	22°14'11.136588"	84°29'36.691008"	22.23642683	84.49352528
7	22°14'13.662060"	84°29'40.567416"	22.23712835	84.49460206
8	22°14'12.225120"	84°29'45.912408"	22.23672920	84.49608678
9	22°14'11.252652"	84°29'50.748288"	22.23645907	84.49743008
10	22°14'10.319316"	84°29'49.608024"	22.23619981	84.49711334
11	22°14'8.923704"	84°29'49.677756"	22.23581214	84.49713271
12	22°14'8.372004"	84°29'51.128088"	22.23565889	84.49753558
13	22°14'4.657812"	84°29'52.635804"	22.23462717	84.49795439
14	22°14'0.206628"	84°29'52.927116"	22.23339073	84.49803531
15	22°13'55.558092"	84°29'53.231352"	22.23209947	84.49811982
16	22°13'54.943392"	84°29'56.056992"	22.23192872	84.49890472
17	22°13'51.601476"	84°29'56.115636"	22.23100041	84.49892101
18	22°13'48.052452"	84°29'55.913892"	22.23001457	84.49886497
19	22°13'42.957768"	84°29'51.949248"	22.22859938	84.49776368
20	22°13'42.160656"	84°29'54.603456"	22.22837796	84.49850096
21	22°13'40.438308"	84°29'56.668272"	22.22789953	84.49907452
22	22°13'37.451676"	84°29'56.682384"	22.22706991	84.49907844
23	22°13'37.949340"	84°29'59.189136"	22.22720815	84.49977476
24	22°13'41.096568"	84°29'59.481960"	22.22808238	84.49985610
25	22°13'41.140308"	84°30'1.717704"	22.22809453	84.50047714
26	22°13'42.619872"	84°30'4.704048"	22.22850552	84.50130668
27	22°13'42.571704"	84°30'8.881704"	22.22849214	84.50246714
28	22°13'42.106476"	84°30'11.389176"	22.22836291	84.50316366
29	22°13'37.899408"	84°30'11.679912"	22.22719428	84.50324442
30	22°13'37.269876"	84°30'15.017076"	22.22701941	84.50417141
31	22°13'32.418660"	84°30'10.658448"	22.22567185	84.50296068
32	22°13'30.544824"	84°30'7.504920"	22.22515134	84.50208470
33	22°13'28.468488"	84°30'4.010616"	22.22457458	84.50111406
34	22°13'27.226560"	84°30'3.150828"	22.22422960	84.50087523

Pillar No	Latitude(DMS)	Longitude(DMS)	Latitude(DD)	Longitude(DD)
35	22°13'26.166000"	84°29'59.292204"	22.22393500	84.49980339
36	22°13'26.161428"	84°29'55.212440"	22.22393373	84.49867040
37	22°13'26.659236"	84°29'48.570864"	22.22407201	84.49682524
38	22°13'27.143400"	84°29'43.931832"	22.22420650	84.49553662
39	22°13'28.103484"	84°29'39.007140"	22.22447319	84.49416865
40	22°13'28.654068"	84°29'38.845968"	22.22462613	84.49412388
41	22°13'29.574228"	84°29'37.301244"	22.22488173	84.49369479
42	22°13'27.241572"	84°29'36.915540"	22.22423377	84.49358765
43	22°13'27.757812"	84°29'34.073088"	22.22437717	84.49279808
44	22°13'28.284816"	84°29'31.171344"	22.22452356	84.49199204
45	22°13'29.478252"	84°29'31.259364"	22.22485507	84.49201649
46	22°13'30.256752"	84°29'30.136632"	22.22507132	84.49170462
47	22°13'29.828172"	84°29'27.861360"	22.22495227	84.49107260
48	22°13'29.577936"	84°29'27.314448"	22.22488276	84.49092068
49	22°13'29.324784"	84°29'25.189008"	22.22481244	84.49033028
50	22°13'31.144548"	84°29'25.307556"	22.22531793	84.49036321
51	22°13'34.360608"	84°29'25.284588"	22.22621128	84.49035683
52	22°13'39.197712"	84°29'28.123944"	22.22755492	84.49114554
53	22°13'44.527944"	84°29'32.220276"	22.22903554	84.49228341
54	22°13'46.678548"	84°29'30.838272"	22.22963293	84.49189952
55	22°13'44.336928"	84°29'27.801420"	22.22898248	84.49105595
56	22°13'42.027024"	84°29'24.449568"	22.22834084	84.49012488
57	22°13'41.622744"	84°29'22.534548"	22.22822854	84.48959293
58	22°13'43.396536"	84°29'19.035960"	22.22872126	84.48862110
59	22°13'45.068448"	84°29'15.790704"	22.22918568	84.48771964
60	22°13'50.374380"	84°29'18.221424"	22.23065955	84.48839484
61	22°13'54.750000"	84°29'20.542956"	22.23187500	84.48903971
62	22°13'59.087676"	84°29'22.672176"	22.23307991	84.48963116

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